Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 12 Feb 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 13 Feb 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 11 Feb 2021 at 11:07

Confidence: High for cold but dry to start, turning more unsettled into the weekend, but milder into the new week. Main uncertainty is the timing of the change to milder conditions.

Headline for Friday 12 Feb 2021: Increasing sunshine through the day but cold and windy.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 12 Feb 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Low Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** High Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Clear night	Clear night
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%

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Weather: A cloudy start to the day but breaking up by late morning to allow the sun to shine through. Mainly sunny or clear through the rest of the afternoon and evening. Strong easterly or southeasterly winds and feeling cold.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: >90%

Visibility: Very good.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	37/48 E	37/47 E	37/49 E	38/50 E	36/49 SE	32/45 SE	34/48 E	34/50 E	34/49 SE
600	28/41 SE	25/39 SE	26/40 SE	27/41 E	28/43 SE	25/41 SE	24/41 E	25/42 SE	24/41 SE
300	23/40 SE	22/39 SE	22/40 SE	23/41 E	25/43 SE	22/40 SE	22/40 E	22/41 E	20/38 SE
Valley	23/40 SE	22/39 SE	22/39 SE	24/42 SE	25/43 SE	22/39 SE	22/39 SE	22/41 SE	21/39 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	-8/-20	-8/-19	-8/-19	-8/-19	-6/-17	-5/-15	-8/-18	-9/-20	-9/-20
600	-5/-15	-5/-14	-5/-14	-5/-14	-3/-12	-3/-11	-5/-14	-6/-15	-6/-15
300	-3/-11	-3/-10	-3/-10	-2/-10	-1/-8	0/-7	-2/-10	-4/-12	-4/-12
Valley	-2/-9	-1/-9	-1/-9	-1/-8	1/-6	1/-5	-1/-8	-2/-10	-3/-10
Freezing Level*	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling very cold at all levels despite the sunshine.

Forecast for Saturday 13 Feb 2021

Weather: Largely cloudy through the day with the chance of outbreaks of snow during the afternoon and evening. Strong southeasterly winds.

Maximum wind: Southeasterly 30-35 mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: >90% but falling to 30% in snow during the afternoon and evening.

Visibility: Good, but poor in outbreaks of snow with cloud bases dropping to 300-500m.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Minus 6 rising to minus 2 Celsius.
At 800m: Minus 8 rising to minus 2 Celsius.
Freezing level: At surface.

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